Children's Fun—Hollywood Style

BY VERNON SCOTT

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Children's parties have become so sophisticated that Tinsel Town's sand-pile set is bored before reaching teenage.

Take the fancy soiree of 12-year-old Francesca Hilton—Zsa Zsa Gabor's daughter.

Francesca turned 12 at a dinner party in a fashionable Cantonese-style restaurant, complete with "cocktails"—non-alcoholic.

Her guests were dressed in Hawaiian costumes and presented with carnation leis upon arrival, pink-and-white for the girls, red-and-white for the boys.

Cocktails—fruit punch in pineapple shells for the boys and coconut cups for their dates—were served at 7 p.m. Hors d'oeuvres included crab legs Marinier, barbecued spareribs, Malayan tidbits, fried shrimp.

Well-mannered and somewhat bored, the youngsters didn't bat an eye when the entree arrived—Indonesian lamb roast, fugi beef, aparagus tips and chicken with almonds.

More excited than the youngsters was mama Zsa Zsa who flitted from guest to guest making sure everyone was enjoying himself.

"Every year I try to have a different theme for Francesca's parties," she explained.

"Last year it was a black-tie party, the year before a surprise costume party. In 1956 it was a circus affair, and in 1955 we came up with a cowboy party."

Zsa Zsa reflected a moment and guessed Francesca's most unusual birthday bash was a gambling party in Las Vegas when her daughter was only five.

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Family Dinner for Golden Wedding

Married in Victoria 50 years ago, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Potter of Mowat Avenue, are celebrating their golden wedding anniversary Tuesday with a family dinner and open house at her son's home, 3913 Prestwood, from 8 to 10 p.m. Mrs. Potter was raised and educated in Victoria, and her husband, although a Canadian resident for 50 years, is still an American citizen. The couple have two children, Mr. C. W. Potter and Mrs. Thelma Gardham, both of Victoria, and three grandchildren. Special guest at the celebrations will be Mrs. Potter's maid of honor, now Mrs. R. Duncan.—(Colonist photo)

Garside-Smith

Cathedral Wedding Honeymoon in South

Honeymoon-bound for California and Nevada are Saturday newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Coote Garside, married in Christ Church Cathedral by Dean Brian Whitlow.

The bride is the former Geraldine Eleanor Mae Smith (Gerry), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stuart Smith, 405 Vancouver Street.

The groom's parents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred N. Garside.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose white peau de soie in a model dress with a belled skirt that fell into a court train. The skirt was caught up with silk bows and accented with lace, pearls and sequins as on the train. A shoulder veil was caught to a matching lace cap. She carried a white prayer book topped with an orchid and fern. Her "something old" was the ring worn by the groom's mother at her wedding, gift of the groom.

Attendants, the Misses Marilyn Smith of Dos Palos, Calif., and Victoria Lassally, were similarly gowned in white organza and accessories and carried cascades of garnet roses and feathered pink carnations.

Best man was Mr. Roy Clark with ushers Mr. Peter Fowles and Dr. K. Wilson of Nanaimo.

The bride's uncle proposed the wedding toast at the reception at the bride's home.

For her honeymoon, Mrs. Smith wore a light brown wool suit with rose-beige accessories and white orchid corsage.

On their return the couple will live at 1002 Pakington.

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Scott-Polson -Neichenbauer

Miss Louisa May Neichenbauer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Neichenbauer, Moss Street, exchanged vows with Mr. John Kenneth Scott-Polson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Scott-Polson, Wesley Road, in a ceremony at Christ Church Cathedral recently.

In a setting of lilies, Miss Neichenbauer walked up the aisle in a gown of white crystal charm simply cut in a waltz-length style with long sleeves. Her shoulder-length veil was held by a tiara of pearls and sequins and she carried red roses and white carnations.

Her attendants, Miss Audrey Scott-Polson and Miss Charleen Scott-Polson, chose turquoise and pink lace and satin gowns respectively and matched them with contrasting bouquets of pink and turquoise carnations.

Best man was Mr. Kenneth Fairey.

Mr. Rex Mitchum proposed wedding toasts at the Club Sirocco.

For a honeymoon trip, Mrs. Scott-Polson chose a navy blue silk suit with white accessories and white gardenias en corsage.

On their return, the couple moved to 1517 Coldharbour Road.

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Creed-Smith Rites Held at Brentwood

Of interest to Victoria is the wedding Saturday at Brentwood United Church, Brentwood Bay, of Miss Dorothy Anne Simpson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Simpson of Brentwood and Mr. Claude James Creed, son of Mr. Claude M. Creed, also of Brentwood.

Rev. Howard Johnston officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the fair-haired bride chose a gown of full-length chiffon and lace with a bouffant skirt. She wore a sequinned coronet to secure a finger-tip veil of net and lace and carried a cascade of white carnations.

Mrs. David Parker of Britannia Beach as matron of honor wore turquoise with matching feather headband and a bouquet of freesia nad pink tulips.

Miss Heather Beasley of Victoria chose a pink gown and headdress with freesia and blue tulips.

Seven-year-old flower girl Claudia Elizabeth Creed, the groom's sister, was in shell-pink chiffon with a basket of freesia.

Best man was Mr. Lawrence Coombs and ushers were Mr. John Hugh Creed, Mr. Ken Vickers and Mr. Gerry Bosence.

More than 150 guests attended the reception at Holyrood House.

The newlyweds left on a motor trip through the Pacific Northwest.

More than half of the arable land in Japan is devoted to growing rice.

Engagement Announced

The announcement is made of the forthcoming marriage of Miss Virginia Jeanne Barrie, RN, Royal Jubilee Hospital, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Barrie of Tofino, and Mr. George Wilfred Thomson, son of Mrs. W. T. Thomson, 186 Beach Drive, and the late Mr. Thomson. The date set is May 9 at 7 p.m. in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, with Rev. H. Jones officiating.—(Miss Barrie's photo by Chevrons)

Hospital Cases Both

Newlyweds in Spotlight Mothers Need Attention

WISHEK, N.D. (AP) — As newlyweds, Carol Krein and William A. Heimer were in the spotlight at their wedding. But it developed their mothers deserved the attention.

Mrs. Alvin Krein fell on the church steps as she arrived for the ceremony. But she saw her daughter married before having her broken arm set.

The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. E. K. Heimer, wasn't feeling well during the ceremony. But she, too, waited until the vows were spoken before entering hospital with pneumonia.

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